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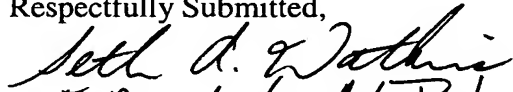
Pursuant to Applicants' duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, Applicants hereby invite the Examiner's attention to the 7 references listed on the enclosed revised Form PTO-1449, copies of which are provided herewith.

Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner review all of the references and make them of record in the present application by completing and returning the enclosed revised Form PTO-1449.

As this statement is being submitted before the first Office Action or within three months of the filing date, no fee is believed to be due. Should any fees be required, however, please charge such fees to Pennie & Edmonds Deposit Account No. 16-1150.

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*EXAMINER INITIAL		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE
	A01	5,735,687	04/1998	Knöpfel et al. (see B02)	431	354	
	A02	4,932,861	06/1990	Keller et al. (see B04)	431	8	

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUBCLASS	TRANSLATION *Abstract Only	
							YES	NO
	B01	DE 196 20 874 A1	11/1997	Germany			X*	
	B02	EP 0 780 629 A2	06/1997	EPO (see A01)			X	
	B03	WO 93/17279	09/1993	PCT			X	
	B04	EP 0 321 809 B1	06/1989	EPO (see A02)			X	

OTHER REFERENCES *(Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)*

	C01	Mitteilungen aus dem Institut für Aerodynamik an der ETH Zürich, Nr. 21, Seite 18, 1954, H. Sprenger: "Über thermische Effekte in Resonanzrohren" [On thermal effects with resonance tubes].

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